

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE**

In re:	§	Chapter 11
BIG LOTS, INC., <i>et al.</i> ,	§	Case No. 24-11967 (JKS)
Debtors.	§	(Jointly Administered)

**MOTION AND ORDER FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

Pursuant to Local Rule 9010-1 and the attached certification, counsel moves the admission *pro hac vice* of **Linda D. Reece** of the law firm Perdue Brandon Fielder Collins & Mott, LLP to represent the following entities in this matter:

Alief Independent School District  
Brazoria County, et al  
Brownsville Independent School District  
Burleson Independent School District  
Carrollton-Farmers Branch Independent School District  
City of Burleson  
City of Cleburne  
City of Grapevine  
City of Houston  
City of Lake Worth  
City of Tomball  
Clear Creek Independent School District  
Cleburne Independent School District  
Cooke County Appraisal District  
Fort Bend County Levee Improvement District #2  
Fort Bend Independent School District  
Fountainhead Municipal Utility District  
Frisco Independent School District  
Ft. Bend Harris County Municipal Utility District #81  
Galena Park Independent School District  
Garland Independent School District  
Grapevine-Colleyville Independent School District  
Harris County Municipal Utility District #102  
Harris County Municipal Utility District #191  
Harris County Municipal Utility District #285  
Hunt County, et al.  
Johnson County  
Kerrville Independent School District  
Klein Independent School District  
Lubbock Central Appraisal District  
Midland County

Nacogdoches County, et al.  
Plano Independent School District  
Potter County Tax Office  
Randall County Tax Office  
Reid Road Municipal Utility District 1  
Richardson Independent School District  
Titus County Appraisal District, et al.  
Tomball Independent School District  
Tyler Independent School District  
Weslaco Independent School District  
Wichita County Tax Office

**/s/ John D. McLaughlin, Jr.**

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**CERTIFICATION BY COUNSEL TO BE ADMITTED PRO HAC VICE**

Pursuant to Local Rule 9010-1, I certify that I am eligible for admission to this Court, am admitted, practicing and in good standing as a member of the State Bar of Texas, the Northern District of Texas District and Bankruptcy Courts, and the Eastern District of Texas District and Bankruptcy Courts, and submit to the disciplinary jurisdiction of this Court for any alleged misconduct which occurs in the preparation or course of this action. I also certify that I am generally familiar with this Court's Local Rules and with the Standing Order for District Court Fund revised 12/21/23. I further certify that the fee of \$50.00 has been paid to the Clerk of Court for District Court.

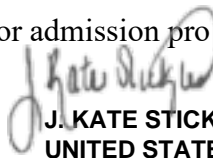
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**ORDER GRANTING MOTION**

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED counsel's motion for admission pro hac vice is granted.

Dated: June 5th, 2025  
Wilmington, Delaware

  
J. KATE STICKLES  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE